

OFFICIAL IN A PACT WITH VICE, SAYS JUDGE

Higginbotham Ready to Take
"Protection" Case to
Grand Jury.

SALOON MEN VICTIMS.

Gambling-Houses Open and
Police, Court Says, Are
Apparently Blinded.

"Yes, I did charge that a certain city official was receiving money for protection to women of the street, and I expect to lay my evidence before the District Attorney and to go before the Grand Jury if necessary," said Magistrate Higginbotham, in the Lee Avenue Police Court, Brooklyn, to-day, referring to his remarks from the bench yesterday when he charged that a certain Democratic politician was taking protection money.

"The man is not a police official," said the Magistrate to-day. It is too early to reveal his name now. Stories of protection have been coming to my ears for six months and I have been making an investigation. I know there are two gambling-houses east of Bedford Avenue which the police could not shut if they wished to. If they are not closed I will force the police to do their duty.

How System Works.

"There is a system by which gambling and disorderly houses are made to pay protection that works this way: Some time ago a policeman made an affidavit on the strength of which I was compelled to issue a warrant against an alleged disorderly house proprietor. When the policeman went on the stand during the examination his story had weakened so from the one told to me that I might have been just in dismissing the man, but I held him for Special Sessions and gave the policeman the choice to which story he was going to swear to when the case came up.

"The system is to arrest the man and if he hasn't made good when the case comes up the police ask an adjournment. They have often tried to get adjournments to days when I was sitting elsewhere, but I have seen to it that the date was when I could attend to the case."

Is a Man Higher Up.

The Magistrate reaffirmed the charge made yesterday that a certain saloon-keeper had placed \$1,000 in the hands of the Williamsburg Man Higher Up for protection. He said as soon as he had

gathered the proper evidence he would present this case to the District Attorney. The Magistrate's words were focused yesterday when Saphie Meyers, Mattilda Kiehl and Florence Casey were arraigned before him by Detectives Powers and McDonald, of the Bedford Avenue station, who charged them with keeping men.

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